A.—Sri V. VENKATAPPA (Minister for Education).—

(*a*) Yes.

(*b*) The allegations were found to be not true.

Sri B. T. MURNAL.—May I know at whose instance this enquiry was started?

Sri V. VENKATAPPA.—At the instance of the President of the District Board.

Sri B. T. MURNAL.—May I know whether similar complaints are made against the Officer of the Belgaum District?

Sri V. VENKATAPPA.—No.

Sri B. T. MURNAL.—May I know whether Government withheld the pay of the officer for three months at Belgaum?

Sri V. VENKATAPPA.—I am not aware of it.

Sri B. T. MURNAL.—Will Government place a copy of the enquiry on the Table of the House?

Sri V. VENKATAPPA.—Yes; I have no objection to give it to the member if he wants to see it.

Extension of Benefits to the Employees of Coffee estates in Kollegal Taluk.

Q.—1044. Sri G. VENKATAI GOWDA (Palaiyam).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) whether the truce reached between the employers and employees of the Coffee Estates in old Mysore and Coorg, is applicable to Kollegal Taluk, now included in Mysore District;

(*b*) if not whether they propose to consider the desirability of extending the benefits of the said truce to the employees of the Coffee Estates in the Kollegal Taluk?

A.—Sri B. VAIKUNTA BALIGA (Minister for Labour and Legal Affairs).—

(*a*) No.

(*b*) The matter is under consideration of Government.

Sri G. VENKATAI GOWDA.—Is it not a fact that Kollegal taluk formed part of Mysore when that truce was entered into?

Sri B. VAIKUNTA BALIGA.—Sir, the Hon'ble Member is perfectly right.

Sri M. C. NARASIMHAN.—Is it not true that as per the term of agreement, the conditions were to be made applicable throughout the new Mysore State?

Sri B. VAIKUNTA BALIGA.—Sir, that was the intention but I found that information was not given to the planters owning plantation in Kollegal taluk.

Sri M. C. NARASIMHAN.—Do Government propose to send this information to the planters?

Sri B. VAIKUNTA BALIGA.—Yes, Sir.

Cases under Prevention of Cow Slaughter Act in Kolar District.

Q.—1050. Sri H. C. LINGA REDDY (Malur).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) the date when the prevention of Cow Slaughter Act was passed in the State;

(*b*) the number of cases filed in Kolar District under the said Act?

A.—Sri H. S. RUDRAPPA (Minister for Agriculture).—

(*a*) 24th July 1948 in the old Mysore State excluding Bellary District.

(*b*) Eight cases have been launched so far from Ist January 1957 under the Act in Kolar District.

Sri H. C. LINGA REDDY.—May I know whether Government are contemplating to extend this prevention of Cow Slaughter Act to the rest of the new Mysore also?

Sri H. S. RUDRAPPA.—It is outside the scope of the question.

Sri H. C. LINGA REDDY.—In answer to (a) the date of passing the Act in the State is given. I just wanted to know whether Government were contemplating to extend the Act to the rest of Mysore.